

Cesar Chavez Middle School

Tom Horne, Superintendent of Public Instruction

ARIZONA SCHOOL REPORT CARD ACADEMIC YEAR 2005-06

3376 S. 6th Ave., Tucson, AZ 85713

Cesar Chavez Learning Community, Inc.

Arizona's report cards have been revised to include requirements in the federal No Child Left Behind Act, such as Adequate Yearly Progress and the disaggregation of student level data into required subgroups.

AZ LEARNS¹

Elementary Achievement Profile (a)

2004-05 Performing

2003-04 Performing

2002-03 Alternative School

(a) For additional information, please refer to Achievement Profiles Page near end of document.

School Overview

Principal/Administrator: Dr. Judy Bisignano Ed.D. Schedule: 08:30 AM to 05:00 PM

Grades: 6-8 2005 Enrollment: 203

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Mission

Cesar Chavez Middle School empowers its students with the skills, behaviors and attitudes necessary to be successful high school students, lifelong learners and contributing members to their families and local community. Our bottom line is student achievement within a rich learning environment that supports the history, culture and interests of our Mexican-American and Native-American families.

No Child Left Behind

Adequate Yearly Progress (b)

2004-05 Not Met

2003-04 Met

2002-03 Not Met

School Improvement Status (b)

2004-05 Warning Year

2003-04 N/A

2002-03 N/A

(b) For additional information, please refer to the AYP page in this report card.

School / Academic Goals

- Ü Each year, 75% of the CCMS students will progress at least one year in reading comprehension and vocabulary as determined by teacher observations, and Informal Reading Inventories.
- Ü Each year, 75% of the CCMS students will progress at least one year in writing and speaking skills as evidenced by teacher observations and student portfolio entries.
- Ü Each year, 75% of the CCMS students will progress at least one year in mathematics computation and problem solving as determined by teacher observations and Informal Math Inventories.

Enrollment

October 1, 2004 School Year Student Enrollment: 77

Accepting New Students in 2005-06 Under Open Enrollment Law : Yes Number of Students Attending Under Open Enrollment in 2004-05 : 43

Instructional Programs

- $\ddot{\mathbf{U}}$ Chicano Studies Integrated Throughout
- Ü Project Based Learning
- Ü Team Teaching
- Ü Extended Fieldtrips
- Ü Afterschool Tutoring

Calendar Information

Number of Instruction Days: 179

Average Daily Instruction Time: 6 hours 30 minutes

First Day of School: 8/15/2005 Last Day of School: 5/24/2006

Shared Responsibilities

School

The role of the school is to serve as guardians of the students during school. We are obligated to keep the students safe and free from harm while increasing their academic skills according to our stated Goals as well as their self-esteem, respect for others and passion for learning.

Parents

Parents' Responsibilities:1) get the child to school on time every day; 2) call school when child is tardy or absent;3) provide an atmosphere where homework can be completed efficiently; 4) attend all parent meetings and scheduled conferences; 5) encourage the child to complete homework and graduate on time; 6) let school know when there is a change in home location, 7) inform the school of any home problems that might effect their child's learning at school.

Transportation Policy

Most of our students live within three miles of the school. These students either walk to school or are transported by parents. Parents transport their children without reimbursement from the school. About 10% of our students take the public bus to school.

	School Honors	
Awa	ards or Special Recognition Received By the School,	, Staff or Students
	Award/Honor	Year
ü	Chancellor's Scholarship, Pima Community College	2005
ü	Summer Math Institute, Univ. of South Dakota	2002
ü	Pima County State Fair Ribbons - Over 100 First Place	2002
ü	Student Poems Published thru Internet (8)	2002

Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) Results 2004-05 3 8th Grade

Mathematics		Teste	ed	% Tested			MSS			9	6 FFB	1		% A	% Met				% Exceeded		
	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	28	28	78250	85	88	99	490	490	548	73	73	21	18	18	18	9	9	48	0	0	13
All Students (Prior Year)	34	34	75001	100	100	99	409	409	468	88	88	37	12	12	36	0	Ō	16	Ō	0	10
Female	14	14	38071	82	82	99	499	499	549	80	80	20	10	10	19	10	10	49	Ō	0	12
Male	14	14	40126	88	93	99	482	482	547	67	67	23	25	25	17	8	8	46	0	0	14
African American			4058			99			523			32			22			41			5
Hispanic	28	28	29129	90	93	99	490	490	527	73	73	32	18	18	23	9	9	40	0	0	6
Asian/Pacific Islander			1747			100			589			9			9			50			32
American Indian/Alaskan Native			4996			100			518			36			25			36			4
White			38320			99			568			12			14			55			19
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	9329	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	454	NC	NC	64	NC	NC	18	NC	NC	16	NC	NC	2
Students without Disabilities	23	23	68996	82	82	99	493	493	561	72	72	16	17	17	18	11	11	52	0	0	14
Limited English Proficient Students			10133			100			488			45			25			28			2
Migrant Students			83			NA			520			39			28			30			4
Economically Disadvantaged			33388			94			530			32			22			40			5
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	28	28	44937	100	100	100	490	490	561	73	73	13	18	18	15	9	9	54	0	0	18

Reading	#	Teste	ed	% Tested		ed		MSS		%	6 FFB			% A		% Met			% Exceeded		
Redding	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ
All Students	28	28	78302	85	0	99	472	472	512	23	23	11	55	55	25	23	23	57	0	0	7
All Students (Prior Year)	34	34	74918	100	100	99	448	448	497	65	65	32	26	26	19	9	9	35	Ō	0	15
Female	14	14	38082	82	0	99	475	475	518	20	20	8	60	60	24	20	20	61	Ō	0	7
Male	14	14	40166	88	0	99	470	470	507	25	25	14	50	50	26	25	25	54	Ō	0	6
African American			4064			100			498			14			29			54			3
Hispanic	28	28	29152	90	0	99	472	472	492	23	23	17	55	55	34	23	23	46	Ō	0	2
Asian/Pacific Islander			1746			100			542			5			13			66			16
American Indian/Alaskan Native			4993			100			484			19			38			42			1
White			38347			99			531			5			17			68			10
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	9353	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	429	NC	NC	40	NC	NC	38	NC	NC	22	NC	NC	1
Students without Disabilities	23	23	69024	82	0	99	474	474	524	22	22	7	56	56	23	22	22	62	0	0	7
Limited English Proficient Students			10140			100			451			28			43			29			1
Migrant Students			83			NA			480			29			36			35			Ō
Economically Disadvantaged			33398			94			495			18			35			46			2
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	28	28	44979	100	Ō	100	472	472	525	23	23	6	55	55	18	23	23	66	Ō	0	10

Writing	# -		ed	%	Teste	ed		MSS		ç	% FFE	3		% A		9	6 Me	t	% E:	ксее	ded
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ
All Students	29	29	78094	88	91	99	498	498	545	4	4	3	48	48	18	48	48	77	0	0	2
All Students (Prior Year)	33	33	74503	97	97	99	413	413	491	18	18	9	61	61	32	21	21	51	0	0	8
Female	14	14	38025	82	82	99	517	517	558	0	0	2	40	40	13	60	60	82	0	0	2
Male	15	15	40013	94	100	99	483	483	534	8	8	5	54	54	23	38	38	71	0	0	1
African American			4037			99			532			4			22			73			1
Hispanic	29	29	29068	94	97	99	498	498	523	4	4	5	48	48	27	48	48	67	0	0	1
Asian/Pacific Islander			1743			100			577			2			9			82			8
American Indian/Alaskan Native			4981			100			526			4			25			70			ō
White			38265			99			564			2			- 11			84			3
Students with Disabilities	NC	NC	9275	NC	NC	100	NC	NC	444	NC	NC	14	NC	NC	46	NC	NC	39	NC	NC	1
Students without Disabilities	24	24	68892	86	86	98	511	511	559	0	0	2	47	47	14	53	53	82	0	0	2
Limited English Proficient Students			10084			100			474			10			39			50			1
Migrant Students			81			NA			504			12			27			60			ō
Economically Disadvantaged			33296			94			527			5			27			67			Ō
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	29	29	44871	100	100	100	498	498	559	4	4	2	48	48	12	48	48	84	Ō	0	3

NC = Not Calculated (less than 10 students) Dashes (--) = No Data Available NA = Not Applicable S = School D = District

Recent Trends in Student Proficiency on the State Standards (AIMS Test)

8th Grade Proficiency



The graph includes the percentage of students that met or exceeded the standards. NC = Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC.

ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS (AYP) FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2004-05

The table below shows the schools that met or did not meet based on federal AYP requirements. To meet AYP for the year, all applicable goals must be met.

	Met Percent Tested?	N
	Met Test Objectives?	N
AYP Determination	Met Attendance Rate?	Υ
	Met Graduation Rate?	Not Evaluated
	Made AYP?	No

Glossary:

Adequate Yearly Progress

A measure of school performance as mandated by the federal government in the No Child Left Behind. AYP holds schools accountable for the performance of subgroups, as well as all students. AYP measures school toward the goal of having 100 percent of all students proficient in state standards for reading and math by 2013-14.

Met Percent Tested:

The school or district tested at least ninety-five percent (95%) of its students enrolled at the time of the test administration. Schools and districts must test at least 95 percent of their student in order to make AYP.

Met Test Objectives:

The percentage of students in the school or district that demonstrate proficiency in state standards by passing the AIMS test meets or exceeds the goal for that year. No Child Left Behind requires that Arizona set goals, called Annual Measurable Objectives, for the percentage of students passing AIMS for all public schools and districts in the state. The goals increase over time toward 100 percent passing by 2014. To meet the test objectives, every subgroup in the school must meet the Annual Measurable Objective.

Met Attendance Rate:

The school or district had an attendance rate of at least 90 percent over the first 100 days of the academic year. Schools and districts not serving high school students must have an attendance rate of 90 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

Met Graduation Rate:

The school or district had a four-year graduation rate of 71 percent or greater. School or districts granting a high school diploma must have a graduation rate of 71 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

For More Information on AYP, visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns and go to NCLB link

Achievement Test Results

Stanford 9 and TerraNova/AIMS DPA

		2002-2003 (SAT9)					2003-20	04 (SAT	9)	2004-2005 (TerraNova)					
Grade	Content Area	%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	AZ		
	Reading	96	11	11	53	77	9	NA	56	100	29	29	51		
6	Language	100	6	6	45	73	7	7	48	100	20	20	47		
	Mathematics	100	13	13	62	77	8	8	66	100	21	21	52		
	Reading	100	21	21	51	85	10	NA	54	71	11	11	50		
7	Language	97	18	18	54	78	9	9	58	71	20	20	52		
	Mathematics	97	21	21	58	83	12	12	62	68	15	15	50		
	Reading	100	21	21	53	86	18	NA	55	85	25	25	51		
8	Language	97	16	16	49	86	14	14	52	85	34	34	50		
	Mathematics	97	21	21	58	86	20	20	61	85	15	15	53		

Starting in Spring 2004-05, students were tested using AIMS DPA and TerraNova. AIMS DPA is a statewide assessment that is both standards-based, measuring student's knowledge against the Arizona Academic Standards, and norm-referenced, comparing student knowledge against students nationwide. TerraNova was administered to all students in grades 2 and 9. It is important to note the TerraNova/AIMS DPA and Stanford 9 test results are not comparable. For more information on the TerraNova and AIMS DPA, see our website at www.ade.az.gov/standards/

The Stanford 9 is a standardized, norm-referenced test. Since 1999, all students in grades 2 through 9 have been tested in Reading, Mathematics and Language. The percentage (%) of eligible students tested and the school's percentile ranks are listed above. State average percentile ranks for Arizona and District are provided for comparison. Note that the average percentile ranks for the nation are 50 for all content areas in all grades. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten students have been replaced with NC (not calculated) to protect student privacy. Some columns contain dashes (- -) to indicate "no data available."

Cesar Chavez Middle School				
	School	Site Council		
Council Composition			Council Du	uties
School Administrator(s)		ü		
Non-certified Employee(s)		ü		
Teacher(s)		ü		
Parent(s)		ü		
Community Member(s) Student(s)		ü ü		
	ing Information			
Position	Number		sition	Number
Administrator Other Professional Staff	1.00 1.00		acher acher Aide	13.50 2.50
				2.30
Experience	Bachelor's	Master's	ool Year 2005-06 Doctorate	Other
3 or fewer years	8	3	0	3
4 to 6 years	3	0	0	1
7 to 9 years	0	1	0	0
10 or more years	1	0	1	0
Highl	ly Qualified (NC	LB) School Y	ear 2004-05	
Core academic classes taught by Highly Qualif	ied (NCLB) teache	ars	18	
Teachers with Emergency Certification.	104 (11022) 1040110	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	0	
Percent of teachers in the school with Emerge	ency/Provisional C	ertification	0%	
Percent of core classes not taught by Hightly (-		5%	
creent or core classes not taught by riightly o	zuaimed reacher.	3	370	
	Resources Ava	ilable at Scho	ool Site	
	•	al Facilities		
Ü Computer Lab with multimedia capability 	,			
Ü Arts Studio				
	Extracurri	cular Activiti		
Ü Complete After School Sports Program		Ü Aztec Da	-	
Ü Extended Fieldtrips		Ü M.E.Ch. <i>A</i>	1 .	
Ü After School Tutoring Program				
Ü Advanced Mariachi After School				
	Socia	al Services		
Ü Counseling Program for Students				

 $\ddot{\mathbf{U}}$ Parenting Classes via Project YES Center

Indicators of Success Based on Historical Data from 2004-05

School Achievements/Accomplishments 2004-05

- Ü Over 75% of CCMS students: 1) received final grade of '4' through '2' in Language Arts; 2) demonstra- ted ability to read at least one grade level higher at end of the year; 3) and showed AYP on teacher made Informal Reading Inventories.
- Ü Over 75% of CCMS students: 1) received final grade of '4' through '2' in Language Arts; 2) demonstra- ted ability to read at least one grade level higher at end of the year; 3) and showed AYP on teacher made Informal Reading Inventories.
- Ü Over 75% of CCMS students: 1) received final grade of '4' through '2' in Mathematics; 2) demonstrated ability to function at least one grade level higher in math at end of the year; 3) and showed AYP on teacher made Informal Reading Inventories.

Student Activity Rates for School Year 2004-05

			Arizona	
	% School	% K-6/UE	% 7-8	% 9-12/US
Attendance Rate ⁴	92	95	94	95
Transfers Out Rates	47	12	12	17
Transfers In Rate ⁶	48	28	28	37
Stability Rate 7	52	87	87	82
Promotion Rate 8	93	96	95	81
Retention Rate 9	0	1	1	3
Dropout Rate 10	5	0	1	6
Status Unknown ¹¹	2	0	1	4
Graduation Rate 12	NA	NA	NA	79

NA = Graduation rate does not apply to K-8.

K-6/UE - Kindergarten to Grade 6 including Ungraded Elementary (UE).

9-12/US - 9th grade to 12th grade including Ungraded Secondary (US).

School Safety

School-level Efforts to Ensure a Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

The teachers and students work continuously at respecting themselves and others, and also school property. The school benefits from unique character-building and values clarification programs made possible by ongoing State, Federal and private grants. The homerooms, extended field trips and retreats play a major role in community building within the students as individual and as a group of caring people and learners.

Total number of incidents that occurred on the school grounds for school year 2004-05 that required the intervention of local, state or federal law enforcement (A.R.S.15-746.6):

3

The Arizona Attorney General's Office has a hotline that allows students to report suspicious activities at schools and to get help with potentially violent situations, such as bullying, harassment, hate crimes, discrimination and gangs. The toll-free number, 1-877-900-1086, is anonymous and available 24 hours a day.

The Arizona Department of Education does not audit the information submitted by each school.

Contacts

	Name	Phone Number
School Site Council	N/A	
Transportation Policy	Alex Galaz Neely	(520) 573-1500
Community Resources	Ramona Zaragoza	(520) 573-1500
School Nutrition Programs	Susie Sanchez	(520) 573-1500
Parent Organization	Veronica Galaz	(520) 573-1500
Student Health/Nurse	Susie Sanchez	(520) 573-1500

The Arizona School Report Card was prepared by the Arizona Department of Education using a standardized format to combine information provided by the local school with data compiled from state records. Each school has special strengths and needs, and all schools benefit from the active involvement of parents in their children's education. If you have questions about the report card or need more information, contact the school office. Arizona School Report Cards can be found for all schools at www.ade.az.gov/srcs on the Internet. "The Arizona Department of Education of the State of Arizona does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs, activities or in its hiring and employment practices. If you have questions or grievances related to this policy, please contact the Administrative Services DAS at (602) 542-3186."

ACHIEVEMENT PROFILES

Arizona's Achievement Profiles capture the performance level of every school.

DEFINITIONS:

Failing to Meet the Academic Standards - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

School performance has been designated as Underperforming for three consecutive years and a site review determined that the designation of Failing to Meet the Academic Standards was warranted.

Underperforming - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

Performing - meets state performance goals.

Performing Plus - above state performance goals, however the number of students exceeding the standard on the AIMS test is not sufficient to earn a highly performing or excelling label.

Highly Performing - above state performance goals or has demonstrated adequate improvement, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

Excelling - significantly above state performance goals, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

TITLE I TERMS

Title I School Improvement Year 1

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for two consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 2

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for three consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 3 or Corrective Action

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for four consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must choose and implement at least one of six corrective actions. See Section 1116(b)(7) of NCLB for a list of the corrective action options.

Title I School Improvement Year 4 or Restructuring (Planning Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for five consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Title I School Improvement Year 5 or Restructuring (Implementation Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for six consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Footnotes

- 1 For an explanation of the Achievement Profiles, please visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns.
- 2 Under ARS 15-816, school district governing boards must implement open enrollment programs and establish policies covering admission criteria, application procedures and transportation provisions. For more information, contact the school district office.
- 3 Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) includes the reading, writing and mathematics subject areas. The proficiency levels include: Falls Far Below (FFB) the standard, Approaches (A) the standard, Meets or Met (M) the standard and Exceeds (E) the standard. MSS = Mean Scaled Score. The federal law, No Child Left Behind, requires disaggregation in subgroups and ethnicity. NC= Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC. For more information on testing and Arizona Academic Standards go to http://www.ade.az.gov/AIMS/default.asp
- 4 Attendance Rate: Percentage of students attending the first 100 days of the academic year.
- 5 Transfers Out: the rate at which students transfer out of a particular school relative to the school's original enrollment for a given school year.
- 6 Transfers In: the rate at which students transfer into a particular school relative to the school's original enrollment for a given school year.
- 7 Stability (s): the rate at which students starting the year at a particular school remain enrolled in that particular school until the end of a given school year.
- 8 Promotion Rate: Percentage of students promoted to the next grade or who met graduation requirements and received a traditional diploma at the end of the 2004-05 school year. Percentage includes students who left school at age 22 or who had completed school and received a non-traditional diploma.
- 9 Retention Rate: Percentage of students retained at the end of the 2004-05 school year.
- 10 Dropout Rate: Percentage of students counted as withdrawn due to chronic illness, expulsion or dropping out during the 2004-05 school year, to include activity during the summer of 2004. This rate includes students who were withdrawn after 10 consecutive days of unexcused absences or were coded by the school as "status unknown." The Promotion Rate, Retention Rate and Dropout Rate may not add to 100% due to the inclusion of summer activity in the Dropout Rate but not in the Promotion Rate and Retention Rate. For more information on the dropout rate study see our website at http://www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/DropoutInfo/
- 11 Annual Status Unknown: Percentage of students unaccounted for by any method during the 2004-05 school year. Annual status unknown students are not necessarily dropouts. For more information on status unknown, see our dropout rate study website at http://www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/DropoutInfo/
- 12 Graduation Rate: The graduation rate presented here is a 5 year cohort rate for the class of 2004. For more information on the Graduation Rate Study published by the ADE, please see our website at www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/grad.

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- ** Due to booklet size printing, print copies are produced in multiples of 4.